

SENATE RESOLUTION No. ____

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED RESOLUTION

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating Bob Peterson on his Academy Award for Best Animated Feature Film, and his Academy Award nomination for Best Original Screenplay, both for the film "Up".

HERSHMAN

_____, read first time and referred to Committee on



SENATE RESOLUTION

MADAM PRESIDENT:

I offer the following resolution and move its adoption:

A SENATE RESOLUTION congratulating Bob Peterson on his Academy Award for Best Animated Feature Film, and his Academy Award nomination for Best Original Screenplay, both for the film "Up".

Whereas, Bob Peterson is an animator, screenwriter, director, and voice actor who has worked on numerous animated films;

Whereas, After studying at Ohio Northern University, Bob earned a master's degree in mechanical engineering at Purdue University. When he was a student at Purdue, he wrote and drew a cartoon strip called "Loco Motive";

Whereas, Over the next few years, Bob worked at Wavefront Technologies, Inc. and Rez-n-8 Productions before joining Pixar in 1994;

Whereas, Bob's first job at Pixar was working as a layout artist and animator on "Toy Story". As a part of the Pixar team, Bob has the unique opportunity to write, direct, and provide voice-work to many Pixar films;

Whereas, Bob voiced the character of Roz in "Monsters,



Inc.", Mr. Ray in "Finding Nemo", and Dug the Dog in "Up". He provided additional voices in "The Incredibles" and "Cars";

Whereas, Bob co-wrote the screenplay for "Finding Nemo" with Andrew Stanton and David Reynolds. Their work on Finding Nemo earned them an Academy Award nomination in 2004 for Best Original Screenplay;

Whereas, Bob earned his second Academy Award nomination for Best Original Screenplay at this year's Academy Awards for his work on "Up", which he co-wrote and co-directed with Pete Docter;

Whereas, "Up" won an Academy Award for Best Animated Feature Film and an Academy Award for Best Original Score at this year's Academy Awards. In addition, "Up" was nominated for Best Picture and for Best Achievement in Sound Editing. It was only the second time in history that an animated film was nominated for Best Picture;

Whereas, In addition to the Academy Awards, "Up" has won numerous other awards, including: a BAFTA (British Academy of Film and Television Arts Awards) for Best Animated Film, a BAFTA for Best Music, and a BAFTA nomination for Best Original Screenplay; a CFCA (Chicago Film Critics Association Awards) for Best Animated Feature, a CFCA for Best Original Score, and a CFCA nomination for Best Original Screenplay; a Golden Globe for Best Animated Feature Film, and a Golden Globe for Best Original Score - Motion Picture; and

Whereas, Bob Peterson's Academy Award for Best Animated Feature Film and his Academy Award nomination for Best Original Screenplay, both for the film "Up", is a tremendous honor: Therefore,



*Be it resolved by the Senate of the
General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

- 1 SECTION 1. The Indiana Senate congratulates Bob Peterson on
2 his Academy Award for Best Animated Feature Film, and his Academy
3 Award nomination for Best Original Screenplay, both for the film "Up".
4 SECTION 2. The Secretary of the Senate is hereby directed to
5 transmit a copy of this Resolution to Bob Peterson.

